

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Tamas MAJOR et al.  
Application No. : 10/035,360  
Filed : December 28, 2001  
Examiner : Melvin C. Marcelo  
Art Unit : 2616  
Title : NETWORK ELEMENT, AND ASSOCIATED METHOD, FOR  
FACILITATING COMMUNICATION OF DATA BETWEEN  
ELEMENT DEVICES

August 21, 2006

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Office Action dated April 20, 2006. It is respectfully requested that the application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this Amendment.